

Come to the Fair!

Use your gifts to serve our Lord!

Service: Email prayer chain

Committee: Social Ministry

Activity Purpose

Provide a prayer ministry so people desiring to have others pray for their non-emergency concerns have a resource.

Skills needed

Power of prayerful concern; confidentiality. Prayers must be passed onto the Lord in less than 3 days time frame—that is, people must check their email at least every 2 days (thus allowing for prayer requests to be received just AFTER one has checked their email for the day).

Benefits you will receive; Skills you will develop

Closeness to the Lord, knowledge that you are helping those in a time of serious need and joy. Will develop ability to pray for others in a variety of circumstances.

Contact Person

Name: Julie Zabkar
Phone: 330-273-2888 & ask for only Julie
Email: jzabmom@aol.com, church mailbox

When is this gift needed?

Times: must check email every 2 days
Days: flexible
Location: Home online computer or other online computer

Orientation

Time: tbd
Date:
Location:

Others serving

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Service: Set up Mitten TREE

Committee: Social Ministry

Activity Purpose

Set up Mitten Tree in narthex for donated winter items (scarves, mittens, gloves)

Skills needed

Being able to sort big from little branches, and assemble tree.

Benefits you will receive; Skills you will develop

Christmas joy, Laughter from putting on wrong branch in wrong spots, always happens at least once!

Contact Person

Name: Chris Garapic
Phone: 330-273-2612
Email: ragluvr@aol.com

When is this gift needed?

Times: to be decided
Days: about 5 weeks before Christmas
Location: Church Narthex

Orientation

Time:
Date: at your convenience
Location: At Church

Others serving

Andra Nenstiel	Doris Kilbane

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Service: Sort &/or Delivery of Giving Tree Gifts

Committee: Social Ministry

Activity Purpose

Once the gifts have been returned and wrapped to church, you would help sort by child/family. Your or another person would deliver to Jobs and Family Services in Medina or possibly to a private home in Brunswick or Medina.

Skills needed

Basic sorting skills; ability to lift and carry boxes of gifts.
Have transportation to deliver a large number of gifts.

Benefits you will receive; Skills you will develop

Christmas happiness by playing Santa and helping children in a quiet way.
Basic organizing.

Contact Person

Name: Doris Kilbane
Phone: 330-483-3679
Email: dek10@verizon.net

When is this gift needed?

Times: flexible depending on your schedule
Days: 1 or 2 weeks before Christmas
Location: Church Narthex

Orientation

Time:
Date:
Location:

Others serving

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Service: Printing Tags for Giving Tree

Committee: Social Ministry

Activity Purpose

Using a wish list that is provided Printing or writing gift tags for giving tree, making them look like Christmas ornaments

Skills needed

By using computer or fancy writing skills making paper gift tags, putting holes in top, and adding a pipe cleaner hanger

Benefits you will receive; Skills you will develop

Christmas delight by helping children in a quiet way. Using your Creative artistic side of the brain.

Contact Person

Name: Chris Garapic
Phone: 330-273-2612
Email: ragluvr@aol.com

When is this gift needed?

Times: when the tree goes up
Days: before Advent
Location: Church Narthex

Orientation

Time:
Date:
Location:

Others serving

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Service: Set up GIVING TREE

Committee: Social Ministry

Activity Purpose

Setting up Giving Tree for donated winter items

Skills needed

Being able to sort big branches from little branches, put branches in correct holes in tree trunk and assemble tree

Benefits you will receive; Skills you will develop

Christmas spirit, Laughter from putting on wrong branch in wrong spots, always happen at least once

Contact Person

Name: Chris Garapic
Phone: 330-273-2612
Email: ragluvr@aol.com

When is this gift needed?

Times: to be announced
Days: before Advent
Location: Church Narthex

Orientation

Time: if you really need it
Date: at you convenience
Location: At Church

Others serving

Chris Garapic	Ruth Wallarrt

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Service: Intercessory Prayer in Sanctuary

Committee: Social Ministry

Activity Purpose

To have each church member, church leaders and our church prayed for regularly.

Skills needed

Prayerful concern for our congregation. Discipline. Focus on prayer. A church directory and other community leader's names are available in the narthex.

Benefits you will receive; Skills you will develop

Knowledge that you are helping every church member and our church.

Contact Person

Name: Chris Garapic
Phone: 330-273-2612
Email: ragluvr@aol.com

When is this gift needed?

Times: Flexible based on your schedule; 20-30 min.

Days:

Location: Church sanctuary

Orientation

Time:

Date:

Location:

Others serving

Don Moll	

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Service: Pack School Supply Bags

Committee: Social Ministry

Activity Purpose

Fill bags of school supplies given to children at the Aug. Back to School Rally

Skills needed

Sort donated and previously purchased supplies and pack bags. Can be youth or adults.

Benefits you will receive; Skills you will develop

Joy in helping children in need to be prepared for school. Pleasure from being part of a team showing God's love by helping others in need.

Contact Person

Name: Chris Garapic

Phone: 330-273-2612

Email:

When is this gift needed?

Times: One time, the week before the rally on August 11.

Days:

Location: Church

Orientation

Time: none needed

Date:

Location:

Others serving

Board members	
Doris Kilbane	

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Service: Social Ministry Board

Member

Committee: Social Ministry

Activity Purpose

Assist in planning and implementing the activities managed by this board.

Skills needed

Attend meetings usually every other month. Passion for reaching out and helping others in need. Other skills vary with the activities.

Benefits you will receive; Skills you will develop

The joy of helping those near and far with physical needs, gain knowledge of local helping agencies and what they do.

Contact Person

Name: Chris Garapic

Phone: 330-273-2612

Email:

When is this gift needed?

Times: Varies with activities.... Meetings are usually in the evening every other month. Two-year term

Days:

Location: church, members' homes

Orientation

Time: none needed

Date:

Location:

Others serving

Chris Garapic	Ruth Wallaart
Doris Kilbane	
Andra Nensteil	
Jim Parker	